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MEMORIAL FOR TUCSON POLICE K-9 “IVAN”

The Tucson Police Department will be holding a Memorial Service on Thursday, January 24, 2013 to honor fallen K-9 “Ivan”. “Ivan” was shot and killed on December 12, 2012 while assisting officers with the arrest of an armed carjacking suspect who fled from police. The event will take place at the Memorial Plaza, which is in front of the Main Police Station located at 270 South Stone Avenue. The Memorial will begin at 4:00 p.m. with the Presentation of Colors by the Tucson Police Department Honor Guard. The Service Dog Unit will carry “Ivan’s” remains onto the Memorial Plaza stage. In addition to remarks given by departmental personnel, Dr. T.K. Warfield, the veterinarian that treated “Ivan” the night of the shooting, will be speaking at the event. The memorial is expected to last 30 to 45 minutes. The Media is strongly encouraged to attend.

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